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PROFESSIONAL SOLO CONCERT AND DANCING

Unique Entertainment Under Auspices of Armistice Temple, No. 32, S. M. T., at Pythian Temple, Monday evening, May 31. Solo Contest by Physicians. Special Numbers by Miss Mack's Studio.

A professional solo concert, strawberry festival and dancing will be given, under the auspices of the Armistice Temple No. 32, S. M. T., at Pythian Temple, Monday evening, May 31.

The program will be made up from the best talent in the city, including special dances by students of Miss Jeannette Mack's Studio and a solo contest by the physicians of the city. The following is the program:

1. Instrumental solo.....Miss Olivia Cooper
 2. Paper.....Miss Arsenia Williams
 3. Bass solo.....Mr. Roy Lee Thomas
 4. Special number.....Miss Jeannette Mack's Studio
 5. Soprano solo.....Mrs. Oliver Hall Smith
 6. Recitation.....Mrs. Victoria Gray Haley
 7. Cornet solo.....Prof. Wm. Blue
 8. Special number from.....Miss Jeannette Mack's Studio
 9. Solo contest by the physicians of the city.
- Doctors Caston, Green, Cheatham, Harris, Phillips, Thomas, Grant, Curtis, Scott, Mansfield, Catrell, Craddock, Bailey, Hur, McClelland, Haskins, Haskell, Brubaker, Jackson, Thurman, Stewart, Breedlove, Hancock, Herriott, Benson, Wright, Patterson, Anderson, Stalford, Dandridge.
- Program Committee—Miss Florence C. Robinson, chairman; Miss Harriet Lamb, Mrs. Lizzie Gamble, Mrs. Julia Prince, Mrs. Gertrude Harris, treasurer. Admission, 25 cents.

AFTERMATH OF THE ARTISTIC DREAMLAND BALL

It is the general opinion that Miss Jeannette Mack's Dreamland Ball and dancing has done more to raise the social standard of the colored people in this vicinity than any other affair of the kind that has been pulled off in the history of the city. The result is, that scores of citizens are flocking to this little "Paris" of the city, and studying the many new dances which she teaches. Several new classes are in the making. The special classes on Saturday afternoon bids fair to be the largest. Children arrangements have been made to accommodate out of town students during the summer, who wish to study the art of dancing. The mention of dancers, whose work was most conspicuous in the Argus last week, the name of Miss Ruth Thompson was omitted, and it was no discredit to their work that space did not permit a complete review of the brilliant affair.

PIANO RECITAL

At Berea Presbyterian Church, Monday evening, May 24, at 8 p. m., by the pupils of Miss L. Turner, in which Mrs. Turner will render a few selections herself.

OPERAETTA

A beautiful operaetta, "The Lady of Shalott," will be given by the Y. W. C. A. Choral Club of Miss L. Turner, at the Presbyterian Church, 3015 Pine St.

BAZAAR

At McPherson's Memorial Presbyterian Church, Cote Brillante and Goods, May 24-25.

Tickets have been out for some time, announcing a "Six Night Bazaar," beginning Monday night, May 24, ending Saturday night, May 29. The following program will be rendered during the week:

- Monday Night—"The Vanity Fair" will be rendered by the young girls of the Social Club.
 - Tuesday Night—"The program will be given by the young men of the Social Club.
 - Wednesday Night—"The Little Folks in the Nursery." Grandpa's Birthday.
 - Thursday Night—"Talent from other churches will render selections.
 - Friday Night—"Old folks' concert.
 - Saturday Night—"Baby contest. All programs start at 8 p. m.
 - Admission 50c each night.
- Program Committee: Mrs. J. L. Taylor, President; Mrs. J. L. Taylor, Secretary; Rev. L. J. Washington, Pastor.

Pride of the West Banquets Member

Mr. Wm. H. Goff was tendered a surprise in the form of an impromptu luncheon by the members of the Lodge, Pride of the West, No. 1, K. of P., on Monday evening, May 9, in honor of his 76th birthday. Congratulatory remarks were made by Mrs. M. W. White, Oda Taylor, Rev. E. Edwards, J. R. Payne, Capt. Barton and John Mahoney, to which Sir Goff responded feelingly. Bro. Goff is one of the original founders of the Pythian Grand Lodge, and is its Senior Past Grand Chancellor. He has also been K. of R. and S. for the past 20 years, not missing a meeting of his Lodge. Members present: U. S. Baker, N. E. Jackson, W. W. Buckner, Col. B. J. Rickett, C. W. White, Thos. Hanger, Morris Murray, Geo. Fox, H. J. Watkins, Jas. Plummer, Thos. Mitchell, John Julian, Isaac Payne, Jas. Roberts, Nelson Scruggs, Henry Holm, John A. Stevens.

Automobile Excursion

Fair Grounds, St. Charles, Mo., Thursday, June 3, Day and Night

The first grand automobile excursion and barbecue will be given by the New Metropolitan Church Thursday, May 3. The management have arranged at your service. A baseball game between an all star team of St. Charles and a St. Louis team, and many other amusements. All other churches and friends are cordially invited to take part in this grand outing.

Dr. B. G. Show, Director.

THE DAY OF PENTECOST THROUGHOUT METHODISM, SUNDAY, MAY 23, 1915

The Woman's Missionary Societies of Union Methodist Church will have a Pentecost Service at 4:30 p. m. All women are welcome.

The pastor, Rev. B. F. Abbott, has announced that the service of the entire day will be Pentecostal.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. F. F. Martyn, the pastor, will preach both morning and night. Subject of morning sermon: "Hot Spot from the Gospel Cannon." All who stand for righteousness and a clean church are invited to our services. On next Wednesday evening, May 26, a grand concert will be given at 8 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. building. The piano, and a quartette will sing his latest composition, "Did You Ever See the Moon Go to Bed?"—a lullaby. Tickets 10 cents.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The Life Problem group meetings at the Y. M. C. A. Building are drawing good crowds of men, who take part in the discussions. Next Sunday the "Legitimate Rewards of a Life Work" will be the subject for the discussion. All men are cordially invited to this meeting and are welcome to speak on this subject.

On next Saturday night was Ladies' Night at the Y., and a good number of ladies enjoyed the program and the refreshments, which a committee of men had prepared. Among those appearing on the program was Miss May B. Belcher, secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, who gave a thoroughly enjoyable talk on "The Place of the Association in the City."

On next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Forest Park, the Y. M. C. A. team will play the E. St. Louis High School. A good game is looked for. All members are urged to attend of this contest for the Y. team.

The Glee Club continues to meet on Monday nights at 8:45. All men who are interested in music are eligible to join this club.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Corporal Wm. L. White, Camp No. 10, Spanish War Veterans, will hold their memorial service at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Z. Sunday, May 23, at 9 o'clock. Appropriate programs will be rendered. Among the prominent speakers will be Col. L. C. Dyer, Dr. F. F. Martyn will preach the sermon.

MAMMOUTH ORPHAN HOME SPRING FESTIVAL

Entertainment Under Auspices of Young Ladies' Reading Club on the Home Lawn, May 28, Set in Picturesque Woodland Scene by Moonlight. Pageant of Flowers and May Pole.

The spacious Orphan's Home grounds on Natural Bridge Road will be converted into a picturesque woodland scene by the Young Ladies' Reading Club, on the night, May 28, when a series of interesting young women of the Young Ladies' Reading Club will feature their Mammouth Spring Festival with the introduction of the Pageant of the Flowers and Outdoor May Pole. The general admission to the grounds will be 15 cents; 25 cents per couple. No music and refreshments will continue throughout the evening.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

Given by the Deland Dancing Club, on the Steamer Gray Eagle, Monday evening, May 24. Music by the Great Western Band. Admission, 50 cents. Jesse J. Johnson, General Manager.

TUSKEGEE ENTERTAINERS

Dr. W. Sampson Brooks presented the Tuskegee Entertainers to a nice crowd at St. Paul Chapel, last Wednesday night. Those present were highly pleased at the entertainment, which consisted of songs, piano, recitations and readings by Mrs. Chas. Winter Wood. The program was well rendered, being both instructive and inspiring.

THE ANNUAL SERMON

The Ninth Annual Sermon of A. U. K. and D. A. was delivered by Rev. S. D. Davis, pastor of St. Mark's A. M. E. Z. Church. Aside from a nice crowd of Ancient United Knights and Daughters of Africa, there were also many visitors present at St. Paul last Sunday to hear Rev. Davis tell why this spring order have been chosen. At the conclusion, Dr. B. G. Shaw said he had been converted to the African Knighthood and was ready to join the order. Many others expressed themselves as being well pleased at the progress of the society.

Prof. J. Arthur Freeman, was master of ceremonies. Mrs. Josephine Henley, chairman of Program Committee.

PULLMAN PORTERS' HOME

Formal opening of Pullman Porters' Home at 2117 Walnut Street, Sunday, May 23, at 4 p. m.

A short program will be rendered, after which dinner will be served. All local men who are interested in the maintenance of the place are expected to come and take dinner and invite your friends to come.

Admission free. Dinner, 25 cents. Hon. Nelson C. Crews, of Kansas City, has been invited to speak for us.

Geo. Hammond, Chairman; T. A. Crenshaw, Sec. Robt. Eaton, Treas.; J. H. Thompson, Master of Ceremonies. Members of Board: Jno. Hammond, J. H. Hammond, W. D. Elgin, J. Kirkpatrick, J. E. Jacks, F. H. Henley, C. H. Thomas.

METROPOLITAN NOTES

Twelve men joined church Sunday. Sunday was a remarkable day at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church. The pastor delivered two very able sermons. Great crowds greeted the pastor at each service.

One of the most remarkable features of the day was the ingathering of so many men into the church. Sunday is also promised to be a great day.

Every department of the church is hard at work as never before. The choir of Metropolitan Church will give a musical Sunday afternoon, May 23, at 3:30 p. m. All the public is invited. Soloist, Miss Lillie Allen, Mrs. Robert Ransom, Dr. D. D. Johnson, Mr. Willie Gillispie, Miss Ioda Hedger, Organist, Prof. Robert Austin, Musical Director, Rev. B. C. Shaw, Pastor.

WAYMAN CHAPEL

The pastor was pleased to see so many of the members out on the Sabbath and genuinely enjoyed the all at be their post on next Sunday, as it is quarterly meeting. The presiding elder, Rev. J. F. Sage, will officiate at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Dr. T. A. Johnson, of Pittsburg, Pa., will preach for us at the 3 p. m. service. It is hoped that all those of the district and their congregations, will be with us. J. W. Carter, Pastor.

OPEN AIR CRYSTAL CITY

New Name for Garden of Eden. To be Located on Old Rankin Tract

"The 'New Garden of Eden' will be known this year as the 'Crystal City' in one same old place, the old Rankin tract, or the circus ground. It will be converted into an attractive pleasure garden. The committee is arranging to make the most beautiful electrical demonstration that has ever been the pleasure of St. Louis people to see.

Every possible amusement will be on hand. Watch for the big posters. Will open June 28. All corporations or persons desiring space will call at 613 N. Garrison Ave. B. G. Shaw, Secy and Mgr.

Samaritan Society Annual Sermon

The Samaritan Relief Society of Central Baptist Church will hold its annual sermon at the church, Ewing and Washington Avenues, Sunday, May 30, at 2:30 p. m. All are invited.

MONKEYING WITH A BUZZ-SAW

From the Indianapolis Freeman

The St. Louis Argus rejoices in the fact that the \$10,000 suit against that publication ended with a verdict of one cent for the plaintiff. It says the press gang will gladly raise the necessary amount to settle the verdict. It's bad business monkeying with a buzz-saw. A newspaper is a dangerous opponent. It can speak so loud. Homer speaks of some of the wounded in the Trojan war following like bulls, so that they didn't catch a patching of the paper's voice. It talks in New York and is heard in California, and then we know the facts. However, we do not think that the Argus or any other thoughtfully edited journal has done in this view. We are not in the nature of the quarrel, and, of course, run a risk in congratulating before we know the facts. However, we take a chance, thinking that the rest is just about the same as the rest of us, who do not think of using our small of individuals.

"PROVIDENT HOSPITAL ITEMS"

Nurse Training Department will hold their commencement exercises June 4. There are four graduates. (Watch the Argus for the program. Everybody is invited.)

Mrs. Sarah Washington, 3311 Franklin, underwent a very serious operation and is doing fine now sitting up.

Mr. Chas. Clark, 3239 Lucas, who has been confined here for three weeks, is now convalescing rapidly.

Mr. Matthews Evans, 217 S. Leffingwell, is confined here for a few days.

Mrs. Ella Williams, 318 S. Garrison Ave., underwent a very serious operation. She is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Annie B. Key, Okmulgee, Okla., underwent an operation last week. She is doing very nicely.

Mrs. Della Mitchell, 4541 Cottage, rapidly recovering from a very serious operation.

Dorothy Brefford, Webster Grove, Mo., Master William Jeffers, 638 Finney Ave., and Mr. Byrd Rankin, 208 Chestnut, are recovering nicely from serious operations.

WINS FIRST PRIZE

Mrs. Corintha Wallace, 4145 Lucky St., wishes to thank her many friends for their support in helping her win the first prize offered by the Courts of Calumet for selling the largest number of tickets during their recent bazaar, having sold \$76.70 worth of tickets. First prize, a diamond lavalliere, Mrs. Wallace.

NOTICE

There will be a grand entertainment given by the Mosaics of St. Louis at A. U. K. and D. A. Hall, corner Leffingwell and Pine, Monday, May 24. Tickets 10c. A \$25.00 diamond ring will be given away at 8:20 p. m. Mrs. Powell, Chairman; Mesdames Banks and Gamble; Assist. Mrs. James, Secs; Mrs. Jones, Treas.

Wheatley Branch Makes Appeal

We urgently request our subscribers to pay their pledges as soon as possible, that we may be enabled to begin improvement on our newly acquired site for a future home. More than enough money has been pledged to complete this work. Some of our well wishers have paid their subscriptions in full; some in part, while others have made no response at all. We are sorry to number among this latter class not the least prosperous of our race. May we not hear from them during the next month, partially, if not in full? Every dollar, or less, will help to increase this fund for the purpose of putting our new quarters in a creditable condition so that we may be able to begin our work. We are sorry to number among this latter class not the least prosperous of our race. May we not hear from them during the next month, partially, if not in full? Every dollar, or less, will help to increase this fund for the purpose of putting our new quarters in a creditable condition so that we may be able to begin our work.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

"Don't forget 'The Lady of Shalott' is to be rendered by our Choral Club, Monday evening, June 7, at Berea Presbyterian Church."

We were delighted to have as our speaker at our Sunday meeting Mrs. James H. Gordon, Superintendent of Howard Orphanage, Long Island, New York. Her talk is one that our girls shall not soon forget. The real joy and growth that come to one who truly gives herself in service for others were felt by everyone who heard Mr. Gordon. After vespers an enjoyable social hour was spent. These after vesper social hours are always enjoyed by the girls.

Watch for the announcement of our little girls' play, "Proserpine." It is of a beautiful opera, and educational. Every school child, as well as the older people, should see it.

Sunday vespers will be held in our Association rooms. A pleasant social hour will be spent at the close of the services. You and your friends are invited to spend your Sunday afternoon hours with us. You will enjoy it.

No. 1-25 cents
Grape Fruit, Shrimp Salad, Olives, Saratoga Flakes, Strawberry Sundae.

No. 2-25 cents
Combination Sandwich and Olives, Sherbet, Chocolate With Whipped Cream.

No. 3-30 cents
Bouillon en Tasse, Olives, Salmon Salad, Saratoga Wafers, Lettuce Sandwich, Ice Cream and Cake, Black Coffee.

No. 4-35 cents
Bouillon and Saratoga Flakes, Fried Chicken, American Peas, Finger Roll, New Potatoes, Ice Cream and Nabisco Wafers, Black Coffee.

No. 5-35 cents
Olives, Consomme en Tasse, Olives, Lamb Chop, New Potatoes, Crisp Bacon, Asparagus Tips, French Roll, Pineapple Sherbet, Lettuce, American Cheese, Crackers, Black Coffee.

No. 6-50 cents
Mulligatawny and Croutons, Olives, Pin Money Pickles, Tenderloin of Beef With Mushrooms, Cream Potatoes, French Peas, Boston Brown Bread, Finger Roll, Rochefort Cheese and Crackers, Black Coffee.

Hebron Rescue Home

The managers of Hebron Rescue Home, the institution that is maintained for the reception and care of erring and delinquent girls and neglected children, made their first formal appeal to the general public for aid.

The Home is situated at 2316 Morgan St. and the work and its management are open for inspection. The number of girls and neglected children cared for by this home from January 1, 1914, to December 31, 1914, totaled 254.

Receipts for the year 1914, \$1,137.97
Expense for the year, 1,162.93
Deficit for year, \$24.96

We have not been able to cancel the above amount. Owing to the high cost of living we are compelled to close the doors against many homeless girls, that are beginning to come into a life of respectability and into the church. Day after day we are shutting out little neglected children, whose mothers are compelled to leave, and because they are unable to place them in institutions which demand pay, they are left to roam.

The service of the Home is entirely voluntary. Every cent donated to the work is applied to the care of the neglected and outcast. The Home is greatly in need of finances and is asking for one hundred dollars.

The management believes the good people of St. Louis will not turn a deaf ear to their appeal, but will come to their aid, and give the much needed amount. All donors are asked to give name and address. The Home will be duly recognized.

Mrs. Kate C. Vinegar, Pres.
Mrs. Fannie M. Oliver, Supt. and Gen. Secy.
Mr. Jos. P. Harris, Pres. Board of Trustees.

The case of Delia Bromfield and Edna Dallas was continued till June 1.

CABARET AND DANCE AT THE GRILL MAY 27

Entertainers From Various Cafes and Gardens on Big Thursday Matinee Program. Guests to Enjoy Dancing in the Annex. Hours From 2 to 7. Management Announces Popular Summer Menu.

Thursday afternoon, May 27, will be a big day at beautiful Silver Grill. The management has arranged for a special cabaret and dance matinee from 2 to 7. Cabaret entertainers from the various cafes and gardens in the city will be on the program and the latest dances will be indulged in by the guests. This will be the first of a series of summer entertainments planned for this popular cafe and it is expected that a large crowd will be in attendance. Everyone is invited, as the matinee is intended as a free complement to the many grill patrons.

The new summer menu for parties of eight or more has just appeared. This is made up of six different delicious combinations, ranging from 25 to 50 cents per plate. Parties desiring this service will secure same by making arrangements one day in advance. The following list shows the combinations:

No. 1-25 cents
Grape Fruit, Shrimp Salad, Olives, Saratoga Flakes, Strawberry Sundae.

No. 2-25 cents
Combination Sandwich and Olives, Sherbet, Chocolate With Whipped Cream.

No. 3-30 cents
Bouillon en Tasse, Olives, Salmon Salad, Saratoga Wafers, Lettuce Sandwich, Ice Cream and Cake, Black Coffee.

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Bouillon and Saratoga Flakes, Fried Chicken, American Peas, Finger Roll, New Potatoes, Ice Cream and Nabisco Wafers, Black Coffee.

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Olives, Consomme en Tasse, Olives, Lamb Chop, New Potatoes, Crisp Bacon, Asparagus Tips, French Roll, Pineapple Sherbet, Lettuce, American Cheese, Crackers, Black Coffee.

No. 6-50 cents
Mulligatawny and Croutons, Olives, Pin Money Pickles, Tenderloin of Beef With Mushrooms, Cream Potatoes, French Peas, Boston Brown Bread, Finger Roll, Rochefort Cheese and Crackers, Black Coffee.

OUT OF TOWN NEWS.

FARMINGTON NOTES

By D. F. Baker

An interesting feature of last week was the musical rendered by the young people of the A. M. E. Church Friday evening. "The Croquet Game" was the title of the program. The evening was spent on the church lawn. Mrs. Jane Hunt attended to business at Fredericktown last week. Tomorrow the Douglas Brothers will play the Fredericktown school boys ball. Prof. Williams will accompany the boys on the trip. Mr. Geo. Blackwell continues very much disabled. Miss D. F. Baker has seen the granditman. He paid respects to her walkway. Mr. A. Simms has made improvements on his property which renders it quite valuable. Mr. Jno. Frank is convalescent. The Clever Ben enjoyed a treat at the residence of Mrs. Chas. Baker Thursday evening. Mr. Moses Hunt has the "croquet game" on his mind. Messrs. John Douthit, Lewis Hill, Geo. Evans and Chas. Carey are on his trail. The Honey Bees of Fredericktown will find the Bumble Bees near Farmington, May 28. Mr. Chas. Baker has been in fraternal good time at Festus Sunday. Mr. Lewis Murphy is the man that put the G. in granditman. Everybody has been in the line for rain. Miss Mamie Franks has been quite ill. The exercises of Douglas School will be held May 28. We're glad you're coming. The youth of the M. Church were organized into King's Herald with Miss D. F. Baker, president, and Mrs. A. L. Reynolds, vice-president. These children are working to raise their annual assessment. Prof. V. E. Williams is quite athletic now-days. Something is doing when he makes a home run. Something is gashed.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO.

By H. N. Jones

Last Tuesday evening at the literary meeting the Argus Reporter read a paper on "Sympathy" which was responded to very eloquently by Pastor Chandle, a selection by Mrs. Lizzie Moore ended the program. Thursday afternoon the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Circle met at the church. Friday the A. M. E. Aid Society met with Mrs. Cora Martin. Those attending reported a pleasant evening. Saturday Prof. Wm. C. of Caruthersville, Pres. of S. S. C. of Missouri District arrived Sunday he visited our Sunday-school in the morning and Hiley's Chapel Sunday school in the afternoon. He addressed the B. Y. P. U. at their meeting and expressed himself as being pleased. Excellent services are reported from the A. M. E. and Baptist Churches. Miss Nancy Jones who for the past two months has been ill, was able to attend church services Sunday. Sunday Mrs. W. H. Rodney received the sad news of the death of her brother, Mr. Pius Abernathy, of St. Louis. Monday, Mr. A. W. Lloyd, G. C. of K. visited our city and also the Local Anchor Lodge No. 31, at which time he lectured to them. In the afternoon he visited the Royal House of S. M. T. and delivered an address. But with it all he remembered to speak in glowing terms of the growing popularity of the St. Louis Argus. While here he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Laurie and during his stay Mr. E. W. Smith officiated as his body guard. The sick for the week Mrs. L. D. Davis and Mr. Edward Thomas. The latter is reported dangerously ill. Dr. W. Sampson Brooks, of St. Louis, will address the members and friends of the A. M. E. Church from the subject "Beyond the Sea." The Ministers and Deacons Union will meet with the Executive Board of the Southeast Missouri District Association at the Second Baptist Church, beginning Tuesday, May 23.

STE. GENEVIEVE, MO.

G. J.

The Lincoln Public School had their commencement exercises Saturday evening, and Miss Evadne Mary Lewis, class of 1915, read an essay on "Training for Efficiency." Messrs. Lawry and Willie Phillips, Willie Rogers, Elsie Smith, Mrs. H. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Barrett, Miss Viola and Genevieve Smith and Zola Young, of St. Marys, attended the commencement exercises and also Messrs. Louis Dulaik, Anna Dulaik, James, Rachel Gavin, Lillie Gavin, Etta Moss, Lillie B. Crowell, Messrs. John Thomas, Crowell Baptist; Haze Matthews, Lindsey Taylor and John Thomas, of West Point, Miss. The Misses Mitchell entertained on Saturday night, May 8, at their home on the Ave. In honor of the Misses Rosa and Lizzie Lindsey, of Mount-City, Ill. After a few games of whist a delightful meal was served. Each reported a lovely time. Mrs. Rose Bud Roberts delightfully entertained six guests on May 10 with a picture show party.

WEBSTER GROVES

Mrs. Louis Laid

Mr. Phillip Whalen left last week for Hot Springs. Mr. Columbus Berks and children are rooming with Mr. W. A. Moore. Little Dorothy Brefford is much improved after undergoing a serious operation at Provident Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Walla Moore are rejoicing over a baby girl, which arrived last Friday. The home of Mrs. Jane Elsie was partially destroyed by fire last Sunday evening while the family was at church.

COFFMAN, MO.

By Charlotte Valle

After an absence of several months Mr. Sylvester Swink is at home again. Mrs. Laura Kennedy, of Farmington, is on the business. Master Rudolph White spent a pleasant day in Minnith last week. Mrs. David Staten is beautifying her home in north Coffman. Rev. H. L. Higgenbotham will preach at the A. M. E. Church Sunday. Mr. W. A. Franks spent Tuesday in Farmington on business. Mrs. Ruben Staten and her son Ed, spent Sunday with Mrs. Chas. Douthit. Miss Charlotte Valle spent Saturday in Cold Water on business. Mr. David Staten is on the sick list. Those attending the closing school exercises at Ste. Genevieve were: Mrs. Dan Ward and daughter, Miss Bertha, Mr. Farris Franks, Miss Mildred and Orville Chappell, the latter took part in the exercises. Mrs. Mack Mayfield, of Eads, spent a busy day here Saturday. Miss Imogene Staten visited her brother Dewie at Ste. Genevieve Sunday and attended the school exercises. Miss Ida Chappell, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is convalescent.

KIRKWOOD, MO.

By L. E. H.

Mr. Henry Crittenden, who was struck by a car while driving his wagon on May Ave., received a complete recovery from the company for \$25. Mr. K. Range and Miss Katie Bailey were quietly married in Clayton Saturday afternoon. The Baschitch rendered an excellent solo on the piano. Prof. B. F. Bowles gave a talk on "Wilberforce." In his talk Prof. Bowles told of Wilberforce's life and work to the present day. He told of a great many things that happened while he was a student. Miss Pearl Mitchell rendered an excellent solo. She played her own accompaniment. After the program was ended those present enjoyed themselves socially. Among the out-of-town guests were Dr. and Mrs. Earle Williams, of Brooklyn; Miss Pearl Mitchell, of Brookline and Messrs. W. W. Osborne and A. U. Grant, of St. Louis. Rev. S. M. Puryear filled the pulpit at St. Luke's A. M. E. Church, Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. I. S. St. Louis. Mr. Geo. C. Anderson and Miss Emma Edwards were the guests of Miss Emma Wiley, in Belleville, Ill., Sunday afternoon.

ELMWOOD PARK NOTES.

By Mary Pruitt

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pruitt had as their guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Church. Mr. and Mrs. D. Harrison Avenue Baptist Church, Sunday, May 16, was largely attended. Mrs. Cora Brooks is on the sick list.

MEACHAM PARK NEWS.

By Aline Rodgers

Revival services, which were held at the First Baptist Church for the past two weeks, were quite a success. Starting May 23, Sunday, May 23, at 11 a. m. Messrs. Marshall Ross and Sidney Greene, of St. Louis, were visitors here Sunday. Miss L. D. Davis, of St. Louis, Mrs. D. Davis and Mr. Edward Thomas. The latter is reported dangerously ill. Dr. W. Sampson Brooks, of St. Louis, will address the members and friends of the A. M. E. Church from the subject "Beyond the Sea." The Ministers and Deacons Union will meet with the Executive Board of the Southeast Missouri District Association at the Second Baptist Church, beginning Tuesday, May 23.

The celebration of the eighth of May was the most successful ever witnessed in the history of Columbus, with base ball, races and many other amusements. The Macon Club defeated the Columbus Club by a score of 13 to 2. Mrs. Marie Parrish, of Birmingham, Ala., is the happy guest of her mother, Mrs. Washington on 6th Ave., South.

Madame R. C. Douglas, of St. Louis. The pioneer promoter of "Hair and Beauty Culture" resided in this city for a number of years on the Street Baptist Church.

The B. L. L. Club entertained Monday night, May 10, at the Queen City Hotel. The program was very pleasant as they could for every one. The out of towns were: Misses Clotie L. Adams and John Adams, of St. Louis; Lillie Gavin, Etta Moss, Lillie B. Crowell, Messrs. John Thomas, Crowell Baptist; Haze Matthews, Lindsey Taylor and John Thomas, of West Point, Miss.

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COLUMBIA, MO. NEWS

By E. Robert Douglas

Places where you can get the St. Louis Argus every Saturday and Sunday, Rummings Barber Shop, F. Kelly Manager, Mexican Chili Parlor, Geo. Merritt, Prop.

Mrs. Harry Johnson, who was on the sick list last week, is better. Helen Booth, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Booth, is in the hospital. Peach has closed her school in Oklahoma and is expected home in a few days. Mr. T. E. Martin attended the A. M. E. Church electoral college at Macon, Mo., last week and was elected one of the delegates to the general conference that meets in Philadelphia next year. Miss Ida Washington died at the home of her mother last Thursday. Mrs. A. Adkins is reported seriously ill at her home on N. 11th St. Mr. Jesse Washington and several others motored to Fulton, Monday afternoon. Messrs. Wm. Ridgeway, Geo. Scott, Robert Walden and John Canton, were Fulton visitors last week. Miss Lola Scott and Mrs. Geo. Scott spent Sunday in Rockport visiting relatives. Messrs. J. H. Fazzaz, Jesse Washington, Geo. and Andrew Scott and E. R. Downes motored to Howard County, Sunday for outing and fishing trip. Mr. Geo. Scott, being the only one to get a good fish, but as he fishes just like a woman, the fish managed to get away. It is rumored that Mrs. Mary Church Terrell is to visit Columbia real soon, an invitation being extended to her by the local branch of the N. A. A. C. P. We hope the madame will accept the invitation and visit us. Mr. Geo. W. Merritt, one of Columbia's intelligent young men, has just received the first edition of his song, "Our Fiftieth Anniversary," a march song composed by him, which promises to be a success. Send 15 cents for complete sample copy, with words to music, to Merritt and Douglas, 500 Walnut St., Columbia, Mo.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS

By Geo. C. Anderson

Last Friday evening at the Nightingale Club House the Wilberforce Club gave their annual open meeting. A short program was rendered. Miss Alberta O'Leary played an excellent solo on the piano. Prof. B. F. Bowles gave a talk on "Wilberforce." In his talk Prof. Bowles told of Wilberforce's life and work to the present day. He told of a great many things that happened while he was a student. Miss Pearl Mitchell rendered an excellent solo. She played her own accompaniment. After the program was ended those present enjoyed themselves socially. Among the out-of-town guests were Dr. and Mrs. Earle Williams, of Brooklyn; Miss Pearl Mitchell, of Brookline and Messrs. W. W. Osborne and A. U. Grant, of St. Louis. Rev. S. M. Puryear filled the pulpit at St. Luke's A. M. E. Church, Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. I. S. St. Louis. Mr. Geo. C. Anderson and Miss Emma Edwards were the guests of Miss Emma Wiley, in Belleville, Ill., Sunday afternoon.

JEFFERSON CITY NOTES

By W. C. Major

The league was entertained Sunday by an address by Rev. Register and talk by Mrs. Taylor, the great evangelist. The committee on badges made their report and now the League is provided with 108 pins of which each member is supposed to wear every day. The Civic Improvement Committee deserves much credit for their work by encouraging the people to make their homes sanitary and plant flowers, shrubs and vines in their yards. Mr. Clark, of the U. P. Committee, should be elected chairman in the place of Mr. Trigg, who resigns owing to business, but to remain a member. Don't forget the fourth Sunday is Charity Day. Let everyone bring some article to help the good cause. The Advisory Board members are now taking their noon luncheon on Friday at the Silver Moon, they are requested to St. Louis in a body. The secretary of the Board is supposed to report all League members who take luncheon or meals elsewhere. Miss Nannie Goins, of St. Louis, is visiting again with her friends after taking a course in music and literary work. The Hub City Tossers will play Fulton on Saturday night at the Buvar Park. A good game is expected. The Lincoln baseball team defeated the Second team of Booneville Monday night, May 10, at the Silver Moon. Reed has been on the sick list but improving. Miss Pearl Woodridge, who for several weeks was a visitor in St. Louis, is home again. Mr. Spencer, of St. Louis was a visitor in our city and made a talk to the Lyceum Literary Society. Mr. B. F. King is now on his way north. Mr. Trigg is one of the ladies of the Court of Calanthe at the Silver Moon to a two-course luncheon. The musical at the Second Baptist Church, Sunday, was a decided success. Mr. Williams is now proprietor of the restaurant on Lafayette St. The taxi service of Mr. Trigg is one that everyone enjoys. Dr. H. E. Johnson made a flying trip to Rockport, Tuesday. The choir

at the Second Baptist Church is progressing nicely. The play for the Unity League is now here. Subject, "The District School." The members of the Pilgrim Baptist Church are conducting a bazaar at the church this week. Lincoln High School made the third straight victory last Saturday against St. Paul Baptist Sunday-school team at Kyle's Park. It seems that the East Side lads will capture the pennant sure. This Saturday Lincoln is scheduled to play Y. M. C. A. in St. Louis while St. Paul will play Summer in East St. Louis. Lincoln grades beat the Simmons School, of St. Louis, last Friday. Rev. T. W. Wallace presided at a Mother's Day sermon at St. John A. M. E. Zion Church last Sunday. The members of Shiloh A. M. E. Church gave a service of prayer on gram last Sunday night. Miss Mattie Kelsey, the niece of Mrs. T. G. Hunter in the city of St. Louis, has been called here from Atlanta and has been teaching in Newsum, Ga.

ALTON NEWS

The "Willing Workers Club" of the Second Baptist Church, gave an entertainment at the church Saturday night. A large number of members and friends attended, making the entertainment a grand success. Messrs. Geo. Scott and Mrs. H. B. Hunter spent Monday in East St. Louis on business. A revival, under the management of Rev. Johnson and Mr. W. C. Hunter, was started Sunday night at the Second Baptist Church. It will run ten days and success is assured. The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will hold a meeting at the Union Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. A good program has been arranged under the management of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Coats. Rev. Tiff and Thompson will be the speakers of the afternoon. On the fourth Sunday in June a similar meeting will be held at the Second Baptist Church in Upper Alton. A pie social was held at Allens Café Monday night, a good crowd was present. Those subscribers whose subscriptions have expired will please be prepared to pay the agent when he calls. Miss Anna Russell, of St. Louis, arrived in our city, this week visiting relatives. If you are an old subscriber and your subscription has expired, get busy and renew it at once, if you are not taking "The Argus" then fall in line and subscribe at once.

TUPELO, MISS. NOTES

By Mrs. M. Wilson

Pres. Wallace A. Battle, of Oklahoma Industrial College, at Okonawa, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Sunday. He visited the Sunday-school of the Spring Hill Baptist Church and made an excellent talk on Sunday-school work. He left the city to visit points in Alabama. The Rising Star Epworth League, of St. Paul A. M. E. Church, held an interesting meeting Sunday. Mr. S. W. Scott, Mrs. Fannie Jones and Miss K. L. Scales, of Verona, were the guests of the millinery of Mrs. Annie Brown. Mr. Eddie L. Armstrong, of Murphersboro, Ill., is visiting his father, Mr. W. A. Armstrong. Miss Jennie and Katie Cooks, of Greenville, will spend the summer with their grandmother, Mrs. Verna Stovall. They will arrive here May 28. Mrs. Osborn Rosebud is visiting his daughter in Verona. Mrs. Eliza Pippens, of Baldwin was the guest of Mrs. Lucindy Mosley. Mr. W. W. Barnes, who is at the Memphis hospital, is improving. Messrs. Johnnie Ware and Nelson McClain spent Sunday in Okonawa. Everybody is invited to attend the Epworth League Sermon, May 30, by Rev. J. P. Watson, at 11 o'clock, at St. Paul, M. E. Church. Mr. Vest Martin, Mesdames J. Oliver, Sadie Rice, Wealthy Nathan, Jennie Young and V. O. Sample are on the sick list. Misses Johnny Ruth Cook and Julia McClain have returned home from school. Mr. Jim Jones took a pleasure trip to Sherman, Sunday.

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NOTICE

All communications for the current issue of the Argus must be in this office not later than Wednesday noon each week. Out-of-town correspondents must send their news so as to reach us not later than Tuesday noon. Editor.

Mr. Mack D. Jones, 3217 Lawton, who has been laid up with a sprained wrist, is much-improved at this time.

The graduating class of Summer High evening school held its first regular monthly meeting Friday evening, May 7, at Y. W. C. A. building. Fourteen members were present. The class will be known in the future as Summer High Evening Commercial Alumni. Mrs. J. D. Robinson, president; Mrs. E. T. Holoman, secretary; Mrs. H. M. Fower, reporter.

Miss Laura E. Robards of 3144 Pine Street, who has been visiting relatives in Cincinnati, has returned to the city.

Mrs. Nora Collins, of 4051 West Belle, who has been in Chicago for some time, was called to Nashville, Tenn., on account of the illness of her sister.

Mrs. Dorothy Rice, of Scott Avenue, was indisposed last week.

The undertakers of this city tendered a luncheon Tuesday morning to Sunny Jordan, an undertaker of Little Rock, Ark., who spent several days here on business.

The Young Married Ladies' Story Tellers Club met at the residence of Mrs. Lillian McDonald, 2623 Market Pl. We proceeded with a very business meeting, planning to meet in the future, after which the hostess served a delightful luncheon. We then adjourned to meet June 2, at Forest Park, 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Rilla Scott, Pres.
Mrs. Mattie Calhoun, Sec'y.

Mr. M. C. Spears, of Kansas City, Mo., has returned to this city for permanent residence.

Mound City Social Settlement Association has opened its Neighborhood House at 2343 Randolph St. Meetings have been held Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday. Baby feeding clinic, folk dancing for adults, young people and children, etc. The girls' play club have been meeting at the L'Ouverture School building, under the direction of Miss Claudia Williams and Mr. W. A. Giles. The class in folk dances and games, free exercises, clubs, wands and dumb-bells will be held Monday, May 24, at 3 p. m. when, under the direction of Miss Jeannette Mack, who has volunteered for this work. Free to adults.

Dr. C. H. Turner, President.
Mrs. Henry A. Smith, Executive Sec'y.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

Given by the Delmarie Dancing Club, on the Steamer Great Eagle, Monday evening, May 24. Music by the Great Western Band. Admission, 35 cents. Jesse J. Johnson, General Manager.

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Mrs. J. R. Porter, of Atlanta, Ga., sister of Doctors T. A. and W. P. Curtis, who has been at the bedside of their sister, Mrs. J. M. Harris, in Sedalia, Mo., passed through this city Wednesday en route to her home.

The Delmarie Club, composed of a number of young teachers, were delightfully entertained Saturday, May 15, at the Silver Grill, by Miss Ivern Hampton. The members and guests enjoyed themselves with music, dancing and a delicious luncheon. Misses Daisy and Cora Westbrook, of East St. Louis, Ill., Miss Florence Jenkins and Miss Katie Tuggle were the guests of honor.

Miss Etta B. Wade, of 829 Clark, departed on Tuesday for her home in Jackson, Mo. Miss Wade was here attending Summer High School, but was forced to give up her studies owing to failing health. She is a competent hairdresser, having finished a course under her aunt, Mrs. H. L. Wade, and expects in the future to engage in hair culture. She will be missed to see her many friends.

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Mrs. C. K. Rohm, Pres.

The Married Ladies' Needle Club met Friday, May 7, at the residence of Mrs. James T. Curtis, 1701a N. Garrison, with the president presiding, as this was the semi-annual election of officers. Mrs. Betty Whitfield presided in the chair. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. James T. Curtis, President; Mrs. Ada Richards, First Vice-Pres.; Mrs. Ethel Kirby, Second Vice-Pres.; Mrs. Effie S. Bush, Sec.; Mrs. Olo Johnson, Asst. Sec.; Mrs. S. Davis, Treas.; Mrs. H. Richardson, Reporter; Mrs. R. Ransom, Chaplain; Madamess Wills Morgan, R. Ransom, A. G. Owens, and G. W. Bohman, Flower Committee.

Members present sixteen. Visitors, Madamess B. Whitfield and Susie Bradley. The hostess served a sumptuous repast, consisting of turkey with dressing, Waldorf salad, celery, hot biscuits, ice cream and cake. After everyone had expressed themselves on having spent an enjoyable evening, we adjourned to meet Friday, May 21, at the residence of Mrs. Jas. Kelley, 4324 Luckey St.

Mrs. M. C. Smith, Sec'y; Mrs. Harry Richmond, Sec'y; Mrs. Harry Richmond, Sec'y; Mrs. Harry Richmond, Sec'y.

Mrs. Willie Cross, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mary York, of 4051 West Belle, has returned to her home in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mr. W. W. Smith, of the Osborne Printing Co., left here Saturday afternoon for Kansas City, where he will pitch the opening game for the Kansas City Cubs. Mr. Smith is a pitcher of no mean ability.

The Melrose Art Club met at the residence of Mrs. Hester Cash, Friday afternoon, May 15. After one hour spent at work, a dainty luncheon was served. Visitors present, Miss Willie Keesee, Madamess Maggie Ewing and Mary James.

The next meeting will be at the residence of Mrs. Alice Coleman, 4438 McPherson, May 21. Mrs. Bell Duval, Pres.; Mrs. Sallie King, Sec'y; Mrs. O. Jones, Treas.; Mrs. Hester Cash, Reporter.

Miss Zenobia Thomas, of Columbus, Miss., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Whitson, 407 Montrose.

Miss Alice Jackson, 4336a Fairfax Ave., is able to be out again, since she has been on the list for about two weeks.

Miss Violet Andrew, 3303 Lawton Ave., is a welcome visitor in the Argus office on Tuesday. She is traveling in the interest of the N. A. C. P. and is endeavoring to locate a branch in E. St. Louis, Ill.

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Thomas H. H. 4300 Maffitt, 47.
Lushon Willis, 4299 J. Kennerly, 18.
Houston Harrington, 1826 Goode, 21.
Fannie Jackson, 1008 N. 9th, 55.
William Jones, 2206 Rear Bidale, 33.
Pearl Jackson, Lovejoy, 11, 12.
Josephine Handcock, Kirkwood, Mo., 9 mos.
Amanda Foster, 2803 Morgan, 31.
Ernest Green, 4335 Cottage, 31.
Ozell Whitlor, 4421 St. Ferdinand, 25.
Rosetta Johnson, 3111 Vine Grove, 26.
Lucia Easterly, East St. Louis, Ill., 15.
Lucinda Johnson, 4226 Natural Bridge Rd., 42.
Geo. J. Scott, 4222 Finney, 9 mos.
Henry Clay, 4122 Sacramento, 80.
Milton Clemon, 1211 Wash, 5 mos.
Wm. Rogers, 2236 Walnut, 34.
Geo. Sublett, 2203 Walnut, 7 mos.

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GATES AND MANUEL

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The Nativist Art Club met on the 13th inst., at the residence of Mrs. Henderson, 4211 W. Belle. A large number of members and visitors were present. Madamess R. E. Stokes and R. H. Grady gave some very interesting remarks on club work. Many beautiful pieces of art were exhibited by the ladies. A delicious repast was served. Mrs. H. Black-Smith, 2330 Walnut, will be hostess at the next meeting on May 27. Mrs. H. L. Wade, Pres.; L. Douglass, Sec.; E. C. Slaughter, Reporter.

The many friends of Mrs. R. Dickerson, in this city, will regret to learn of her death at 681 Lanc Avenue, Memphis, Tenn., on May 16, 1915.

Mrs. Dickerson was the mother of Miss Georgia and Prof. P. A. Dickerson, both teachers in the public schools of Memphis and prominent socially in this as well as their home city.

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The Indians are coming! The Nebraska Indian Baseball Team will meet the Giants at Kuebler's Park, Sunday and Monday, the 23d and 24th. St. Louis fans have long been waiting for a real baseball game and now the fans are to get their due. The Indians are rated one of the strongest traveling teams in the country and should give Manager Mills' speed boys a hard tussle. Both games will start at 3 o'clock sharp. Weather permitting, the largest crowds of the season should witness the two contests. "String Beans" Williams, the Giants' sensational twirler, will be on the mound Sunday and a good game should be the result.

The Giants made 41 runs in 12 innings against their two opponents last Sunday. In the seven games in which the Giants have played they have made 128 runs to their opponents 7. Now for real baseball.

The new city league, to play Saturday afternoon games, has been organized. Besides Charlie Mills' Giants, which is the only colored team, the league will consist of the East St. Louis Giants, Alpen Braus, and Miller's All Stars. The officers are Chas. Slack, Pres.; Conrad Kuebler, Sec. Treas.

The opening game will be at Polo Park, East St. Louis, Saturday, June 19.

On May 26 and 27, the Giants will play an all star team of Elks at the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Elks, in East St. Louis, at Polo Park. May 29, the Giants will play the Southern Commercial at Mannion's Park, South St. Louis.

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Mr. Hawkins, who was very busy, said that all he wished to say concerning the company was that they were paying their claims and forging to the front. And as evidence of that fact he pulled from a drawer a list of claims that had been paid through the local office about a large number of business and professional men, and in fact men and women of all classes who had been disabled and had been benefited by receiving their money promptly. When asked what he thought of other companies doing the same kind of business among colored people, Mr. Hawkins produced a list of ten agents directly under him who are employed by the Clover Leaf, and said, "Where is another company in this city that has as many colored men employed?" The Clover Leaf is making places for our men who have a young woman employed as clerk and cashier, a very responsible position, which she fills with credit.

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